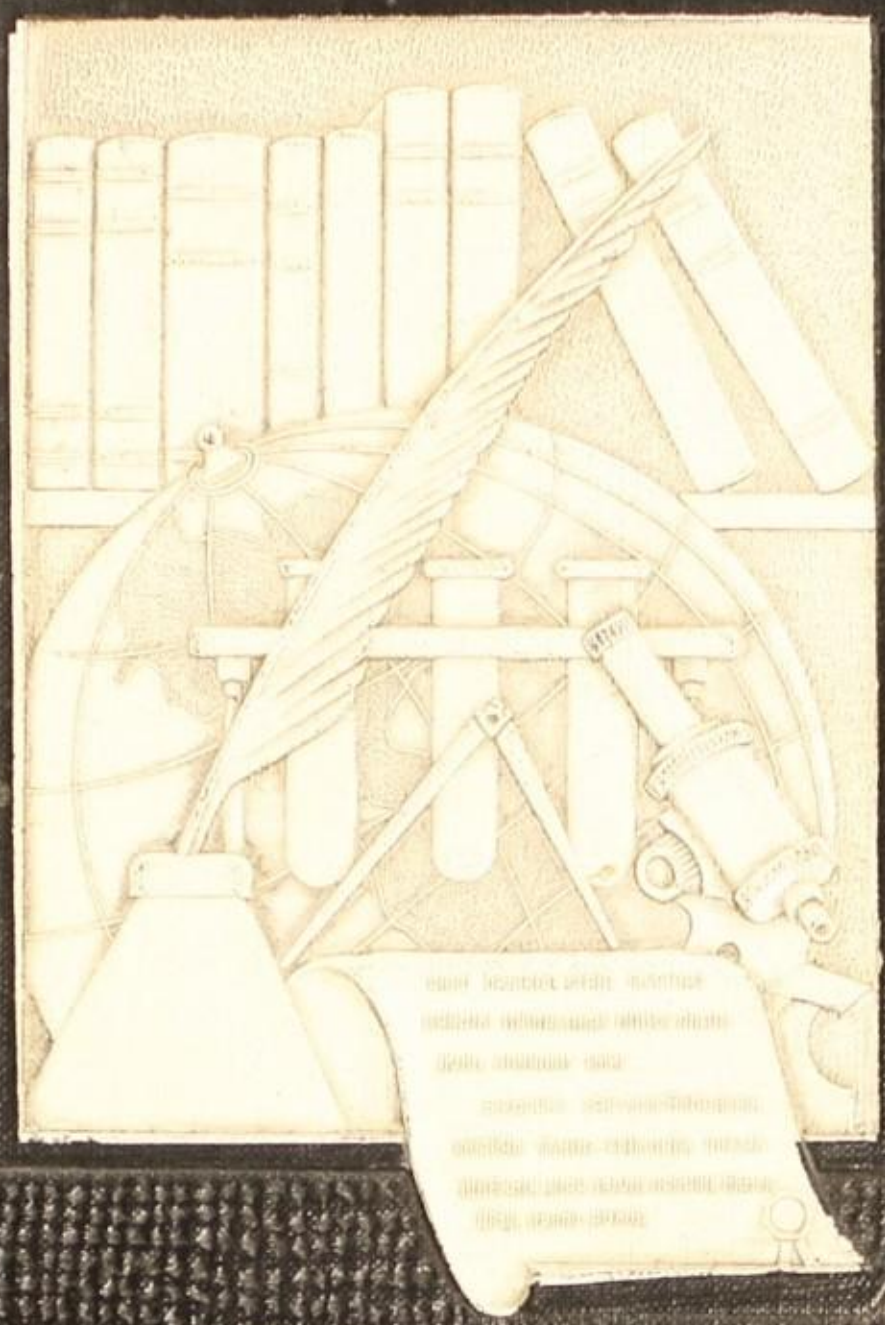

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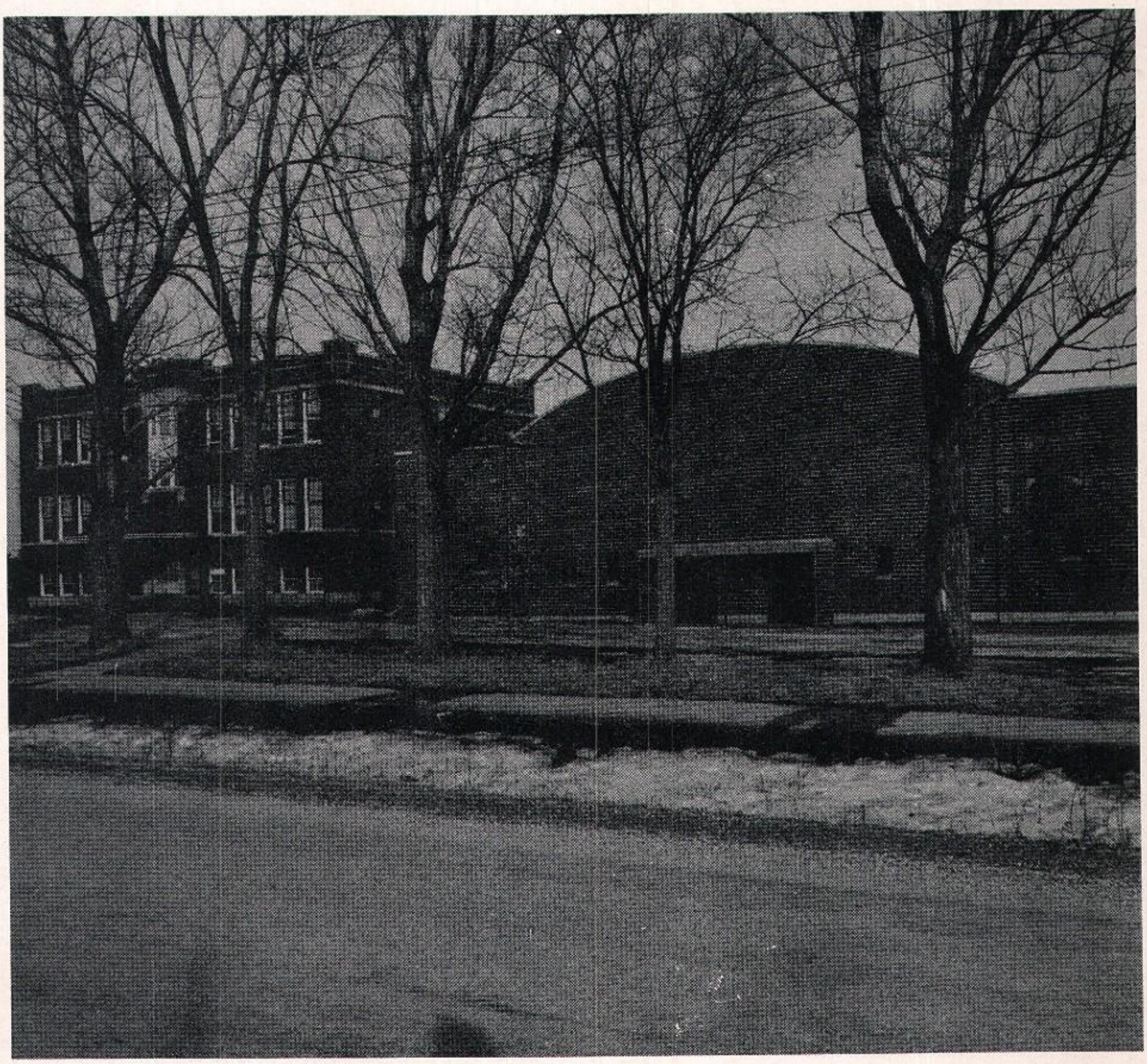

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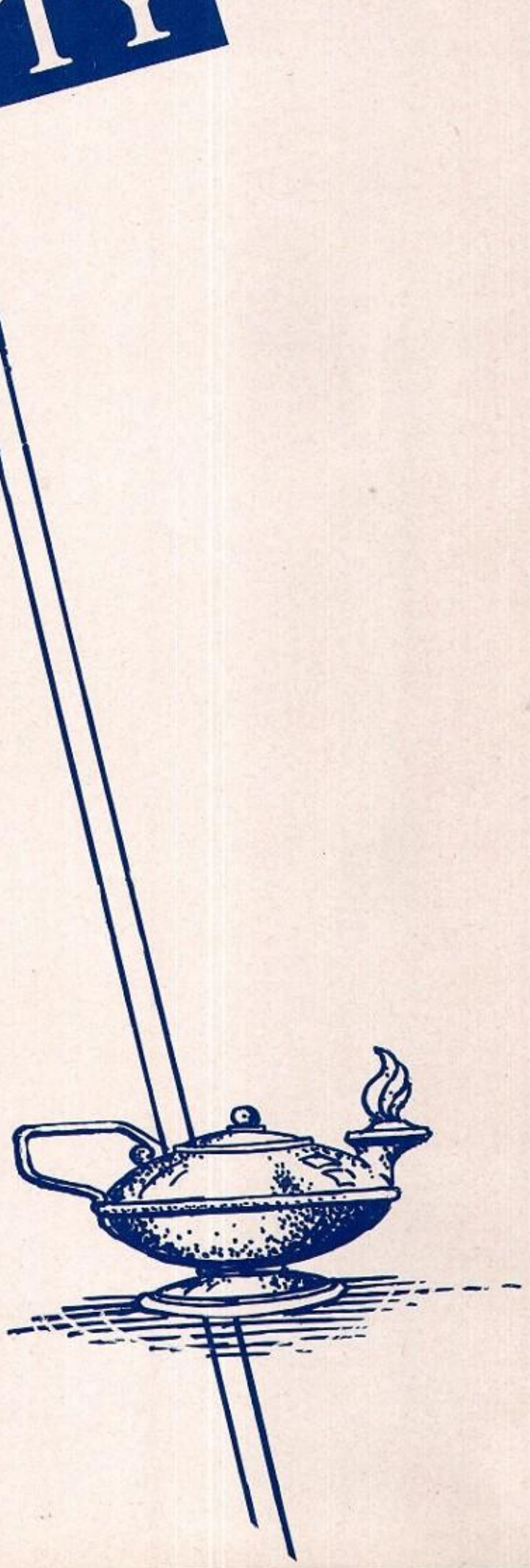
FACULTY



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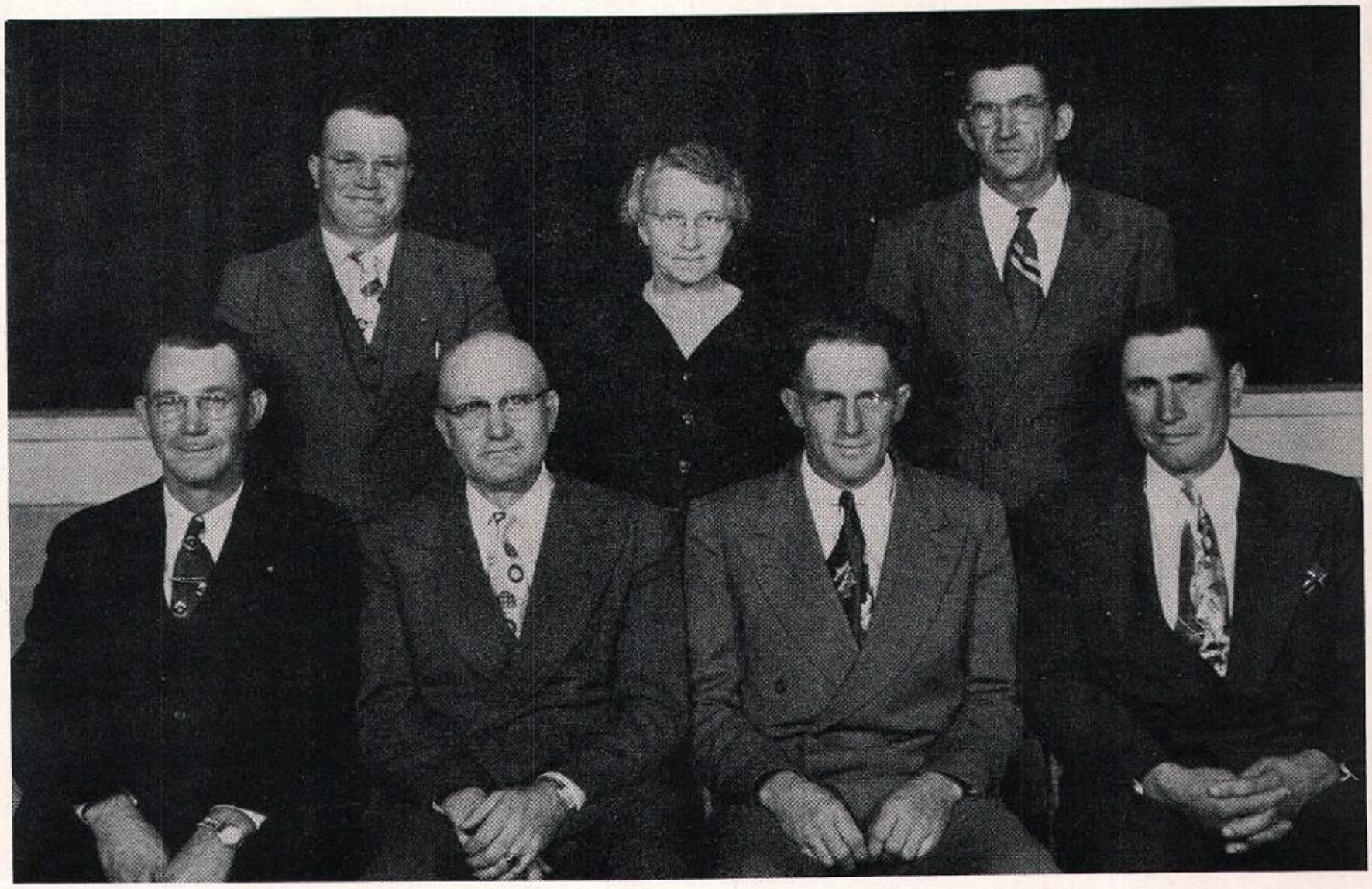

BACK ROW:: Earl Kiess, Mrs. Roy Lewis, Clifford Lackore.
FRONT ROW: Loren Tudor, Roy Kraninger, Leland Chestek, Lloyd Krumrey.

Faculty

BACK ROW: Mr. O. K. Conklin, Mrs. Mary Lou Albaugh, Mr. K. E. Steele, Mr. John Halstead, Mr. Robert Schlader.
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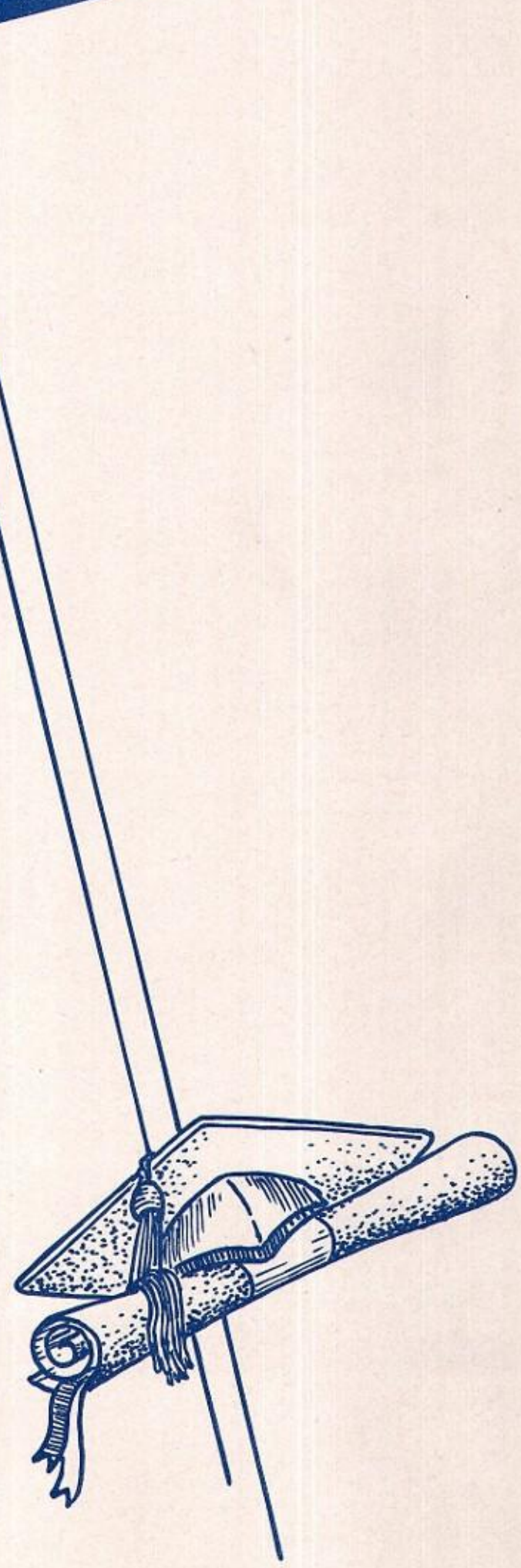
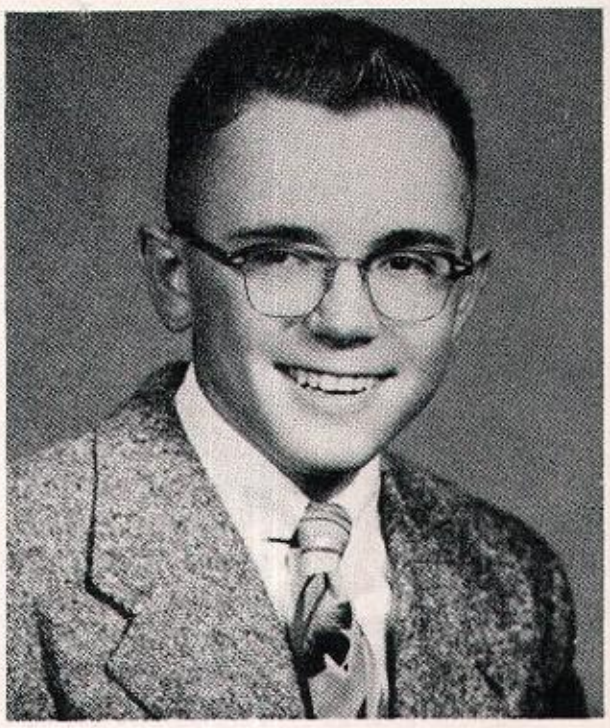
SENIORS



Seniors

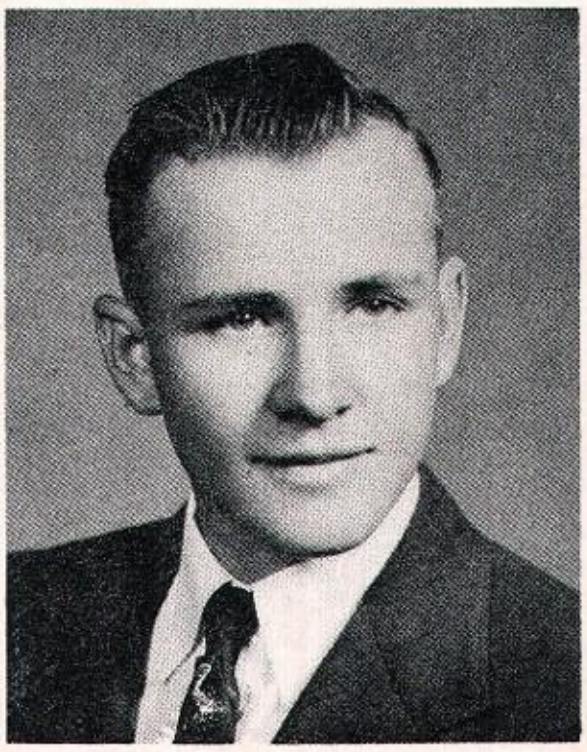
RICHARD LEE BIERBAUM

Class Office.....4
Class Plays.....3-4
Paper Staff.....3
Annual Staff.....4



DALE LELAND CHESTEK

Class Office.....1-3
Class Plays.....3-4
Basketball.....1-2-3-4
Baseball.....1-2-4
Glee Club.....1-2-3
Band.....1-2-3-4
Paper Staff.....2-3
Annual Staff.....4

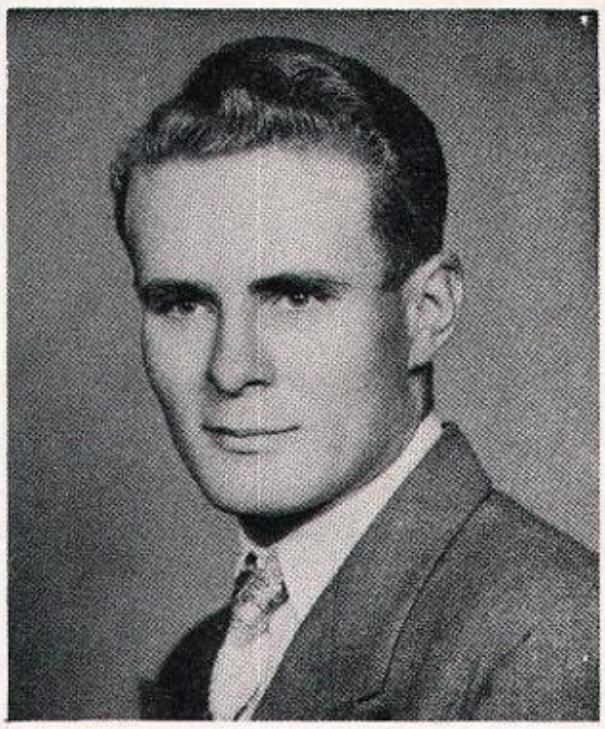


MELBERNE LEE ELLIOTT

Class Plays.....3-4
Basketball.....1-2-3-4
Baseball.....1-2-3-4
Glee Club.....1-2-3
Paper Staff.....2-3
Annual Staff.....4
Band.....1-2-3

HAROLD LLOYD GOLLY

Class Plays.....3-4
Band.....1-2-3-4
Paper Staff.....2-3
Annual Staff.....4



PATRICIA MARIE GOLLY

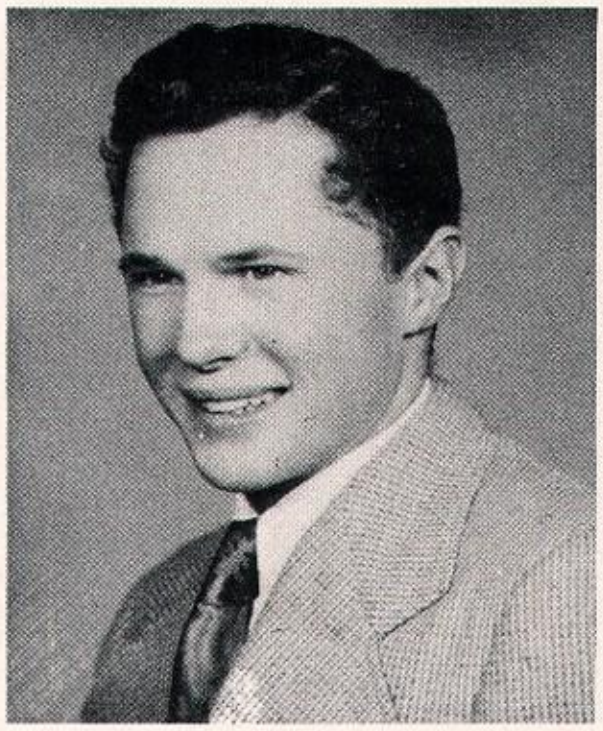
Class Plays.....3-4
Glee Club.....1-2-3
Band.....1-2-3-4
Paper Staff.....3
Annual Staff.....4

ANNA RUTH KIESS

Class Office 1-3
Class Plays 3-4
Basketball 1-2-3-4
Glee Club 1-2-3
Band 1-2-3-4
Band Queen 3
Twirling 1-2-3-4
Paper Staff 1-2-3
Annual Staff 4

SHIRLEY JEAN ROWLEY

Class Office 4
Class Plays 3-4
Basketball 1-2-3-4
Glee Club 1-2-3
Band 1-2-3-4
Band Queen 2
Twirling 1-2-3-4
Paper Staff 1-2-3
Annual Staff 4



WILLIAM LEROY LINN

Class Plays 3-4
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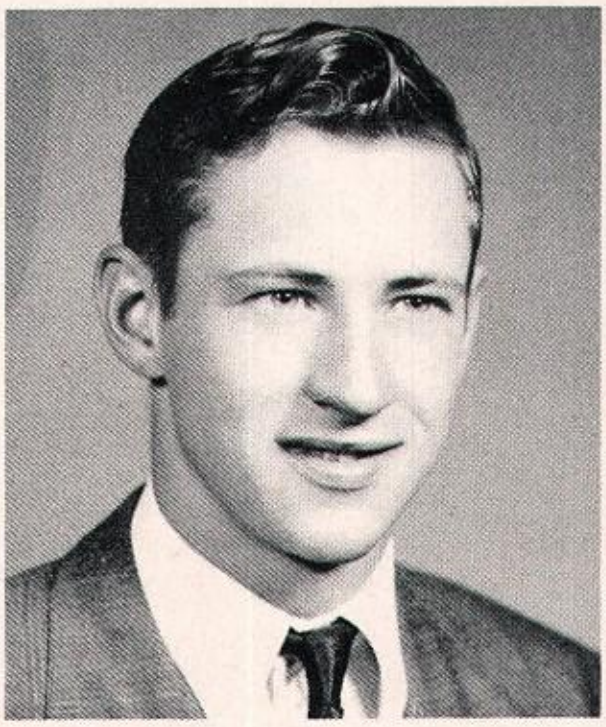
Baseball 1-2-3-4
Glee Club 1-2-3
Band 1-2-3-4
Paper Staff 2-3
Annual Staff 4



KEITH ARDEN LACKORE

Class Plays 3-4
Basketball 1-2-3-4
Baseball 1-2-3-4
Band 1-2-3-4
Paper Staff 2-3
Annual Staff 4

MARVIN DONALD SOLBERG

Class Plays 3-4
Baseball 1-2-3-4
Glee Club 1-2-3
Paper Staff 3
Annual Staff 4

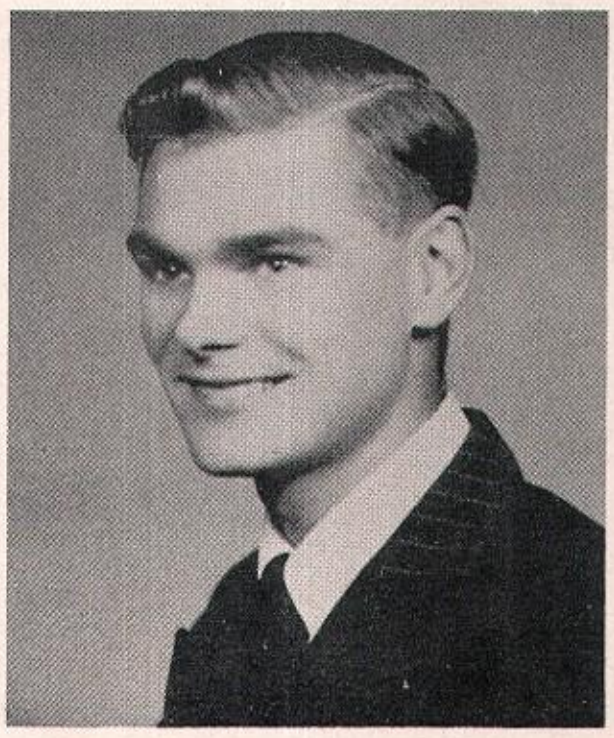
RITA MAY STAEBLER

Class Office 3-4
Class Plays 3-4
Basketball 1-2-3-4
Glee Club 1-2-3
Band 1-2-3-4
Twirling 1-2-3-4
Paper Staff 1-2-3
Annual Staff 4

MARILYN JOYCE WATERS

Class Office 1-2
Class Plays 3-4
Basketball 2-3-4
Glee Club 1-2-3-4
Band 1-2-3-4
Twirling 1-2-3-4
Paper Staff 3
Annual Staff 4
Cheerleader 1-2

Who's the tallest boy?
Jim Zimmerman
Who's the tallest girl?
Rita Staebler
Who's the shortest?
Anna Kiess
Who's the oldest?
Marvin Solberg
Who's the youngest?
Harold Golly
Who's the most sheik?
Dale Chestek
Who's the quietest?
Patty Golly
Who's the noisest?
Charles Starr
Who's the best natured?
Melberne Elliott
Who's the laziest?
Keith Lackore
Who's the silliest?
Marilyn Waters
Who's the loudest gum chewer?
Shirley Rowley
Who's the most ambitious?
Richard Bierbaum
Who's got the cutiest grin?
Bill Linn

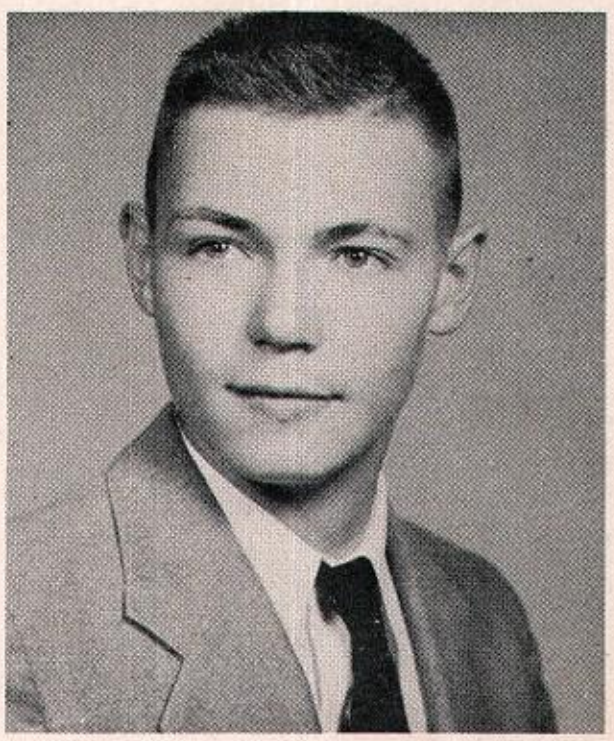


CHARLES WILLIAM STARR

Class Plays 3-4
Band 1-2-3-4
Paper Staff 2-3
Annual Staff 4

JIM LOWELL ZIMMERMAN

Class Plays 3-4
Basketball 1-2-3-4
Baseball 1-2-4
Glee Club 3
Band 1-2-3-4
Paper Staff 3
Annual Staff 4



Class History

Fourteen small youngsters anxiously climbed the steps to the first grade room on September 1, 1941. They were Patty Cross, Anna Kiess, Shirley Rowley, Rita Staebler, Joan Valeske, LaVonne Steward, Melberne Elliott, Jim Zimmerman, Dale Tjaden, Dale Chestek, Paul Darrow, Bill Linn, David Walsh and Gary Lester. During the year Beverly and Betty Lutz and Florine Bangert joined us. Our teacher was Miss Viola Baker.

In the fall of 1942, Melberne Elliott and Betty and Beverly Lutz had fallen from our list of members. LaVonne Steward and David Walsh moved away during the year. Two members, Mary Jean Lunn and John Bonner, increased our number. Miss Baker was again our teacher.

Miss Opal Heard welcomed fourteen third graders when school started in 1943. Melberne Elliott had rejoined us. We lost Dale Tjaden.

June Noling and Clayton Wiltse joined the class during the fourth year. We were under the instruction of Miss Doris Wilson.

Patty Cross and Jim Zimmerman failed to attend school with us during our fifth year. Kathleen Copper and Mary Riat Mooney were our teachers.

Mrs. Donald Todd, our sixth grade teacher, found only eleven young folks ready for school. Myrna Timmons joined us in the spring, but Gary Lester and Clayton Wiltse moved away. Miss Mooney gave us our final report cards for that year.

After an absence of two years, Jim Zimmerman rejoined us in 1947. However, Paul Darrow left our merry group. Miss Virginia Jaeger was the teacher.

Nine eighth graders entered the room of Mrs. Grace Streitmatter in the fall of 1948. Keith Lackore had joined us. June Noling had not come back.

Sixteen green but hard working freshmen entered the halls of C. H. S. in 1949. The new members of the class were Kenneth Cordes, Harold and Patty Golly, Roger Grimm, Marvin Solberg, Charles Starr, and Marilyn Waters. Mr. John Halstead was our sponsor.

Though we lost Roger Grimm, Alice Wiltse and Richard Bierbaum were added to our number for our sophomore year. Mr. Halstead was again our sponsor.

Joan Valeske failed to return with the Junior class of 1951. Alice Witlse moved at the beginning of the second semester. Mrs. Mae Essman was our sponsor.

With exception of Kenneth Cordes, all of the juniors returned to finish their high school days together in C. H. S. They were Richard Bierbaum, Dale Chestek, Melberne Elliott, Harold and Patty Golly, Anna Kiess, Keith Lackore, Bill Linn, Shirley Rowley, Marvin Solberg, Rita Staebler, Charles Starr, Marilyn Waters, and Jim Zimmerman. K. E. Steele served as our advisor.

Prophecy

Ten years have passed by and the class of '53 have settled far and wide. Each has gone his own way to get ahead in the world.

The former Patty Golly, is now busy taking care of her five sons and keeping house for her husband Henry and his brother Bernard. She is now working part time at the May Drug Store and is keeping in touch with her former school mates.

Dale Chestek is now teaching engineering at Ames. He frequently brings his wifte and three daughters back to Colwell to visit his old friends. His old 39 Chev. is still faithfully fholding together.

If you happen to go east of Colwell you will probably see the former Rita Staebler doing the field work while her husband Tim, is working on their old Plymouth and tending to their four children.

The former Shirley Rowley has managed to work herself west-ward where she and Russell have worked very hard to build a small, but substantial shack by the ocean. Her three daughters are now twirling in a near by theater.

Harold Golly is competing against Charles in the junk business. This business has become very prosperous and he now plans to buy out Oscar Besuk and settle in Colwell with his wife and son.

Jim Zimmerman has been living in Arkansas where he has acquired the true Arkansas spirit and therefore has been too tired to seek a wife. He has been thinking of returning to Deerfield and organizing a Lonely Hearts Club.

Melberne Elliott and his wife Mary Jean, have purchased a large dude ranch in Texas where they have a large number of Stallions. Since they are doing quite well they have extended invitations to all of their poor classmates to spend a week with them free of charge.

Anna Kiess has been located teaching in Africa so she can be near her fiance Bernard, who is stationed near there. They plan to be married as soon as he is promoted, and with both salaries, they hope to struggle along.

In Colwell we find Keith Lackore has established a large taxi business. His wife takes care of all the calls during the week ends while Keith is in his barber shop giving his specialty "The Lackore Butch."

Bill Linn is now an admiral in the navy and can be seen driving his new, but banged up Cadillac convertible. There has been a rumor that he has a girl in every port!

Richard Bierbaum is now Secretary of the Treasury of the U. S. A. and his wife is working as a waitress in a cafeteria near the White House to help support him and their two daughters.

Charles Starr is a used car dealer and junk dealer near Chicago. His wife is kept busy caring for their nine children and three dogs.

In a report from Alaska we hear that Marvin Solberg has been patiently waiting for a silver fox to walk in to his traps although business is not too good, he still finds time to court some unidentified Alaskan girl.

During the housing shortage Marilyn Waters has converted the old Deerfield Hall into a home for her husband Dick Losee and her triplets. She has given up teaching English at the Colwell school.

Class Will

We, the class of 1953 of Colwell High School, of the County of Floyd, and the State of Iowa, being of sound minds and bodies after four strenous years, do herby make, publish, and declare this as our final and best will and testaments; herby revoking all former wills, bequests, and devices of whatever nature or form here to fore by us.

I, Richard Bierbaum will my front seat to Willard Grimm so he can throw all candy and gum wrappers behing the radiator. I will my black hair to Barbara Lemons.

I, Dale Chestek will my "Chevy" to Darwin Krumrey, my candy wrappers to Roy Lewis, and my butch to Harry Wilson.

I, Keith Lackore will my ability to sleep in class to Paul Freese and my ability to be on time to Harry Wilson. To Bill Kreimeyer I will my number "3" jersey for playing basketball.

I, Marvin Solberg will my trap line to James Oeltjenbrunes. To Kenneth Elliott I leave my prized English Literature book.

I, Charles Starr will my smooth running Plymouth to Hurvey Tudor. My liking of Charles City girls I leave to Mike Knowlton.

I, Bill Linn will my old convertable to Willard Grimm. My black curly hair I will to Darwin Krumrey.

I, Melberne Elliott will my pitching arm to David Hoeft. The back roads I will to anyone who can use them!

I, Harold Golly will my ability to sell advertisments for the annual to James Starr and my ability for work to Charyl Hillier.

I, Jim Zimmerman will my fun of going to "Club Deerfield" to Paul Freese. I will my basketball ability to William Kreimeyer.

I, Shirley Rowley will my laugh to Donna Chambers. My ability to talk so fast I leave to Hurvey Tudor.

I, Patty Golly will my liking for older boys to Joane Peters. I leave my ability to act shy in school to Madalene Wilson.

I, Marilyn Waters will my liking or red heads to Sharlene Sweet. My pierced ears I will to Marlene Elliott.

I, Rita Staebler will my ability to Tango to Mary Bierbaum. I leave my ideas to Joane Peters!

I, Anna Kiess will my long blonde hair to Mary Jean Chambers. I leave my grades to anyone who needs or wants them.

We will the Freshmen the ability to get through high school without working any more than we did.

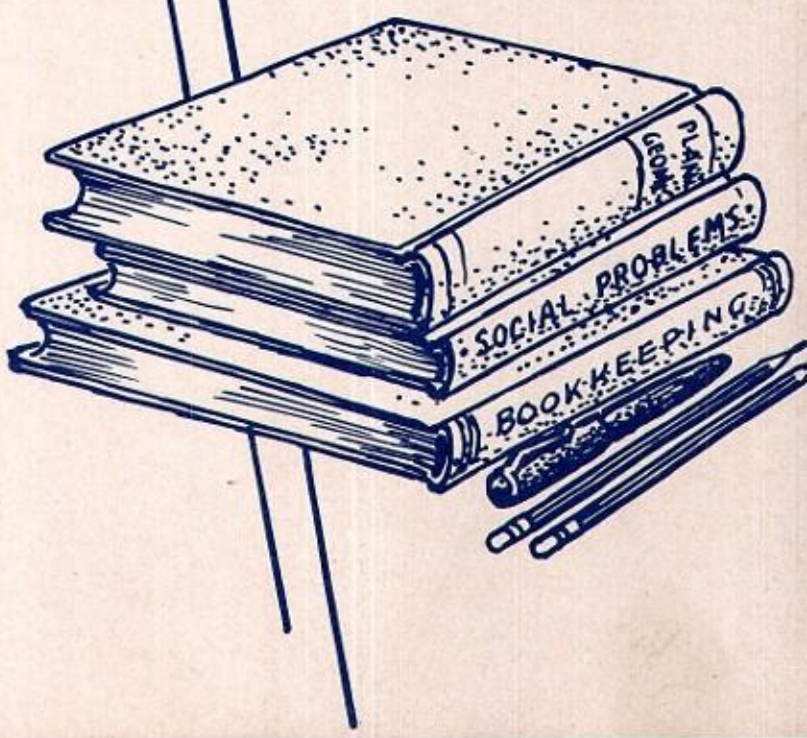
We will the Sophomores the ability to chew gum at all times. They may also eat candy whenever the desire "hits" them.

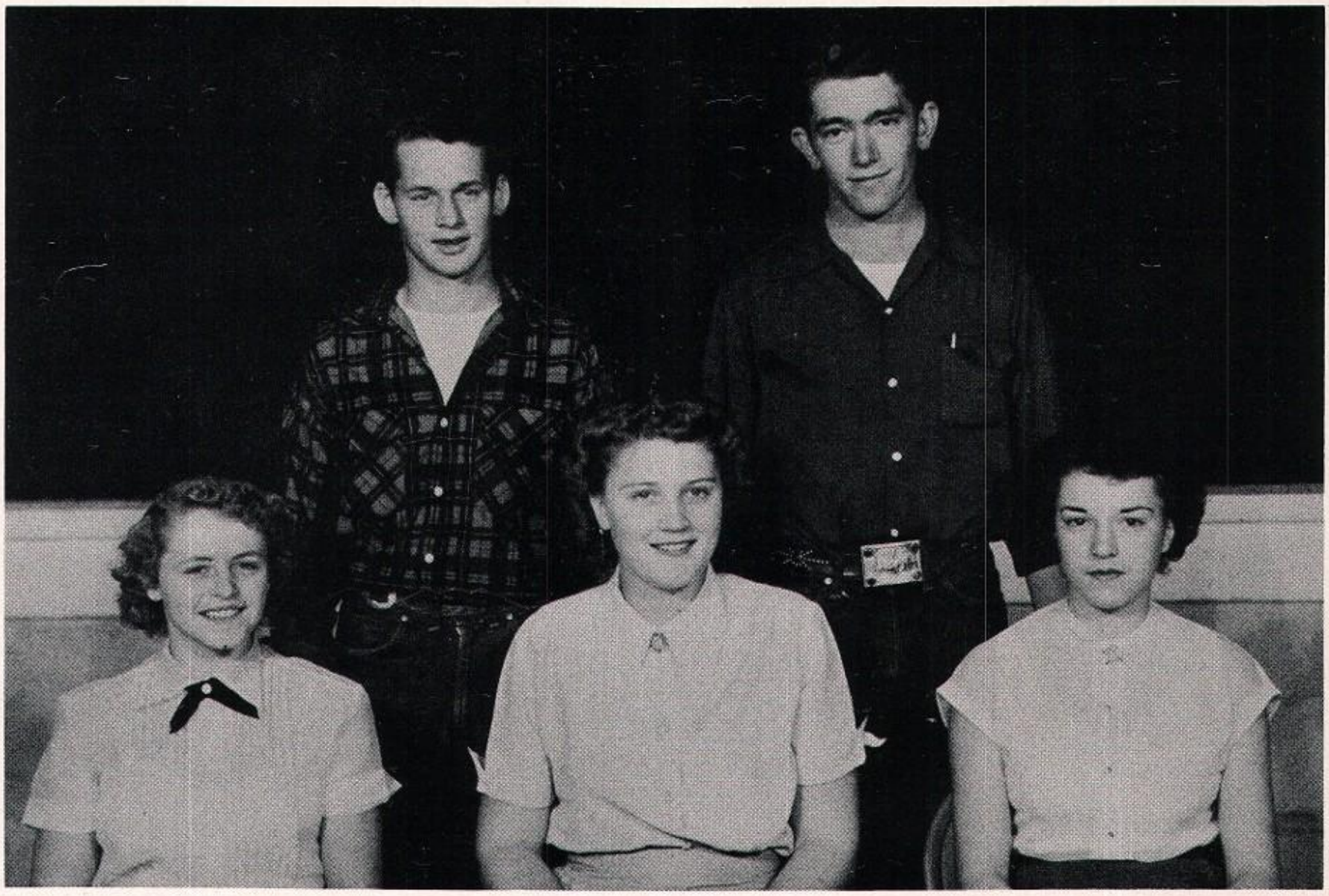
We will the Juniors the ability to "hang on" to all of their class members until the graduate.

We will the quietness and peacefulness which will prevail after our graduation to the faculty.

We will Dale Boyer, the janitor, all old pencils, paper, gum, and candy he might find on the floor or any place else in the schoolhouse or gymnasium. Any old skeleton keys he finds he may use to open any doors which refuse to open when locked.

JUNIORS





Juniors

STANDING: Willard Grimm, Paul Freese. SITTING: Madalene Wilson, Joane Peters, Cheryl Boyer.

MOTTO

"Forward: Into the Future"

FLOWER

American Beauty Rose

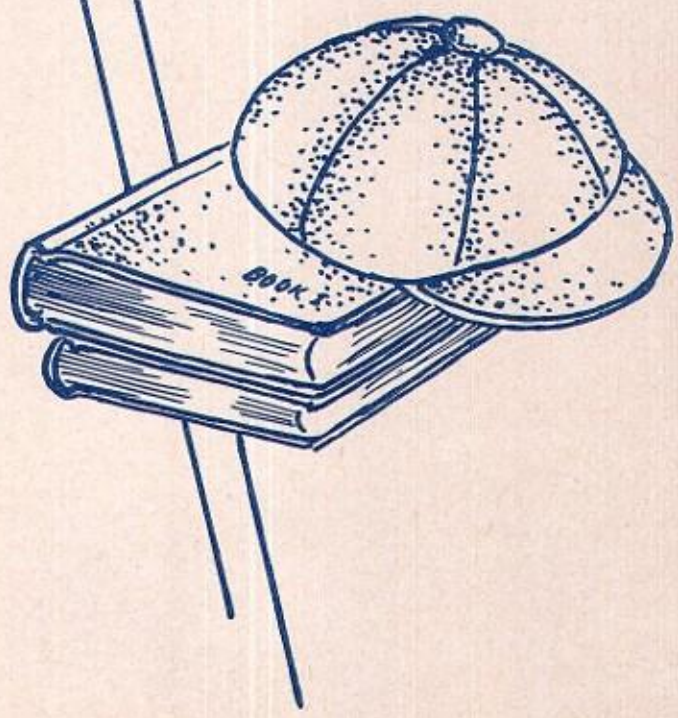
COLORS

Yellow and Green

CLASS OFFICERS

President: Joane Peters
Vice President: Willard Grimm
Secretary-Treasurer: Madalene Wilson

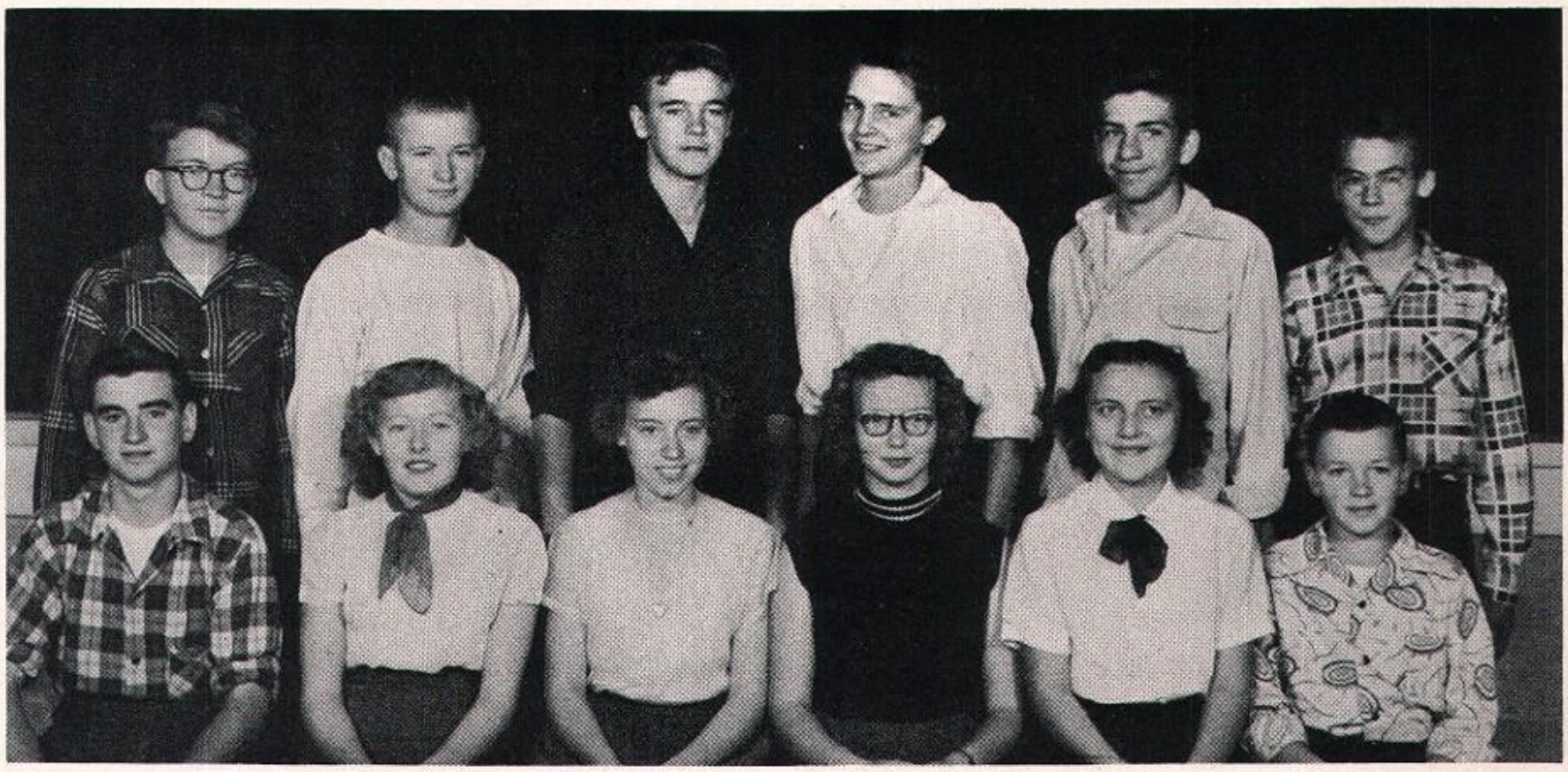
SOPHOMORES
FRESHMEN



Sophomores

BACK ROW: David Hoeft, Darwin Krumrey, Hurvey Tudor, Netha Juhl, Lloyd McBride.
FRONT ROW: Mary Jean Chambers, Barbara Chestek, Beverly Hatzky, Charyl Hillier, Sharlene Sweet.

Freshmen



BACK ROW: Roy Lewis, Kenneth Elliott, James Oeltjenbruns, Ronald Peters, Harry Wilson, James Starr.
FRONT ROW: Mike Knowlton, Barbara Lemon, Mary Bierbaum, Marlene Elliott, Donna Chambers, William Kreimeyer.

ROOM 3

BACK ROW: Keith Katcher, Sandra Meyer, Paul Dolph, Robert Duncan, Philip Tetzloff, Nancy Kruse, Sharlene Lemons, Jim Chambers, Ronald Kraninger, Muriel Mannetter, Bill Rouse.

MIDDLE ROW: Mrs. Wickersham, Karla Kapka, Roger Hatzky, Patsy Tudor, DeAnn Elliott, Judy Hillier, Charles Bonnette, Sandra Juhl, Doris Linn, Freda Adelmund, Bonnie Boyer, Robert Strietmatter.

FRONT ROW: Roger Sweet, Jerald O'Neil, Kale Tibbitts, Dennis Gorman, Gene Strietmatter, Lois Lackore, Joyce McCoy.

ROOM 4

BACK ROW: Robert Kiess, Ronald Mannetter, Dale Lackore, Doris Knapp, Betty Vanderhoef, Bernard Krall, David Lutz, Bernadine Bishop.

MIDDLE ROW: Allen Mannetter, Gary Tibbitts, Bruce Wilson, Clair Wilson, Dorla Krumrey, Bill Snyder, Elliott Rouse, Wayne McBride, Mrs. Albaugh.

FRONT ROW: Kay Knowlton, Marcia Russell, Rosalyn Dolph, Katherine Crangel, Marjorie Kriemeyer.

ROOM 1

BACK ROW: Raymond Boyer, Larry Bill, Gary Carter, Sharon Tetzloff, Margaret Kraninger, Sharon Hatzky, Janean Tudor, Janice Boyer, Mrs. Stein.

MIDDLE ROW: Carol Wilson, Roger Ross, Terry Meyer, Dennis Meyers, Ruby Anderson, Karol Mannetter, Nancy Adelmund, Nancy Bi

FRONT ROW: Manan Knowlton, Lois Lemons, Marie Lutz, Gary McCoy, Jerald Dolph, David Brandt.

ROOM 2

BACK ROW: Janet Wilson, Frances Ross, Lyle Tibbitts, Larry Katcher, Gordon Chestek, Lois Kreimeyer, Mrs. Cavanaugh.

MIDDLE ROW: Linda Meyer, Kenneth Rowley, Jerry Crangle, Kenin Mannetter, Sharon Zimmer, Bonnie Lemons, Gary Elliott.

FRONT ROW: JoAnn Rouse, Margaret Wilson, Phyllis Stalker, Robin Wilson, Arnold Adelmund.

ACTIVITIES

Band Queen

MARY JEAN CHAMBERS

Band

BACK ROW: Clair Wilson, Dale Chestek, Paul Freese, Charles Starr, Bill Linn, Jim Zimmerman, Darwin Krumrey, Ronald Peters, Keith Lackore, Anna Kiess.

MIDDLE ROW: Dale Lackore, Doris Knapp, Shirley Rowley, Patty Golly, Dorla Krumrey, Rita Staebler, Joane Peters, Harold Golly, Kenneth Elliott, Roy Lewis, Madalene Wilson, David Hoeft, Mr. Conklin.

FRONT ROW: Barbara Lemons, Charyl Hillier, Sharlene Sweet, Marlene Elliott, Marilyn Waters, Marsha Russell, Mary Jean Chambers, Barbara Chestek.

Twirl-ettes

Rita Staebler

Shirley Rowley Anna Kiess

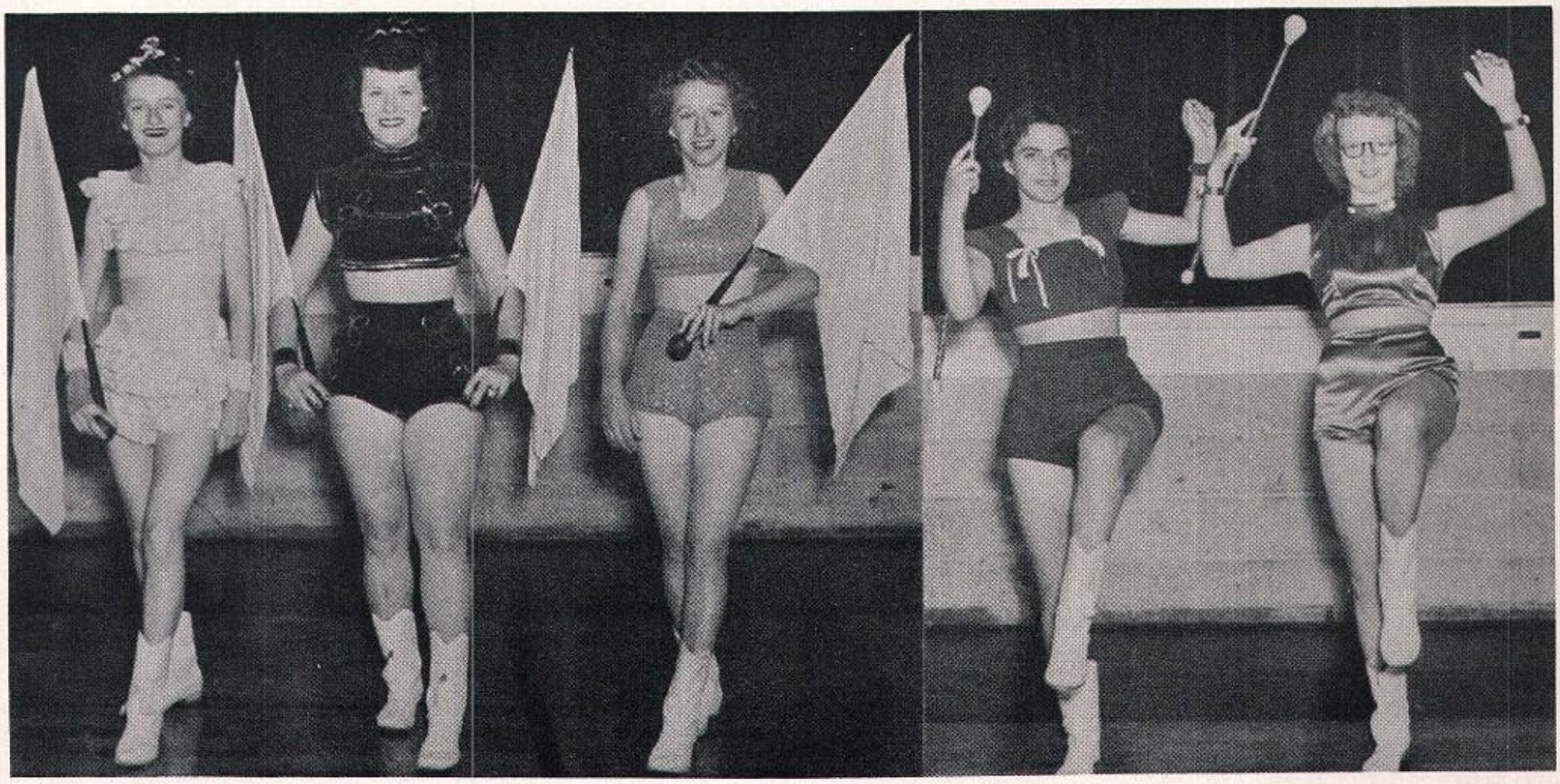
Junior Twirlers

BACK ROW: Kay Knowlton, Judy Hillier, Betty Vanderhoef, Clair Wilson, Sandra Juhl, Doris Knapp, Marsha Russell, Patrica Tudor, Katheryn Crangle.

MIDDLE ROW: Muriel Mannetter, Sharlene Lemons, Nancy Kruse, DeAnn Elliott, Karla Kapka, Bonny Boyer, Doris Linn, Bernadine Bishop, Mr. Conklin.

FRONT ROW: Joyce McCoy, Lois Lackore, Keith Katcher, Marjorie Kreimeyer, Sandra Meyer.

High School Twirlers



LEFT TO RIGHT: Barbara Chestek, Shirley Rowley, Marilyn Waters, Mary Jean Chambers, Marlene Elliott.

JUNIOR BAND

BACK ROW: Kay Knowlton, Linda Wilson, David Lutz, Kathryn Crangle, Rosiland Dolph, Bruce Wilson, Bernard Krall, Bonny Boyer, Sharlene Lemons, Keith Katcher, Mr. Conklin.

MIDDLE ROW: Bernadine Bishop, Jerald O'Neal, Jimmy Chambers, Doris Linn, Karla Kapka, Robert Streitmatter, Philip Tetzloff, Gene Streitmatter, Robert Kiess, Lois Lackore.

FRONT ROW: Nancy Kruse, Judy Hillier, Robert Duncan, Sandra Meyer.

GIRLS GLEE CLUB

BACK ROW: Donna Chambers, Charyl Hillier, Netha Juhl, Beverly Hatzky, Marlene Elliott, Mary Bierbaum.

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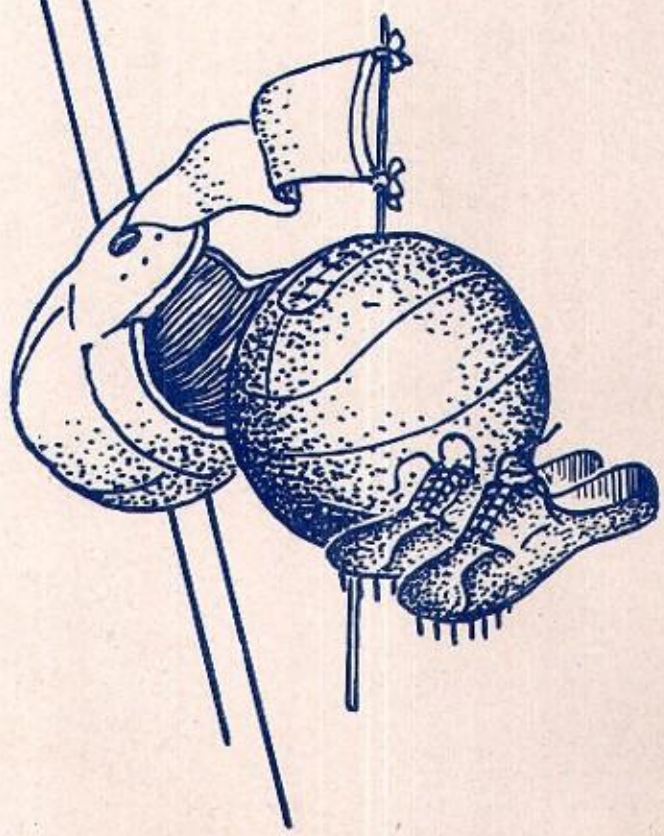
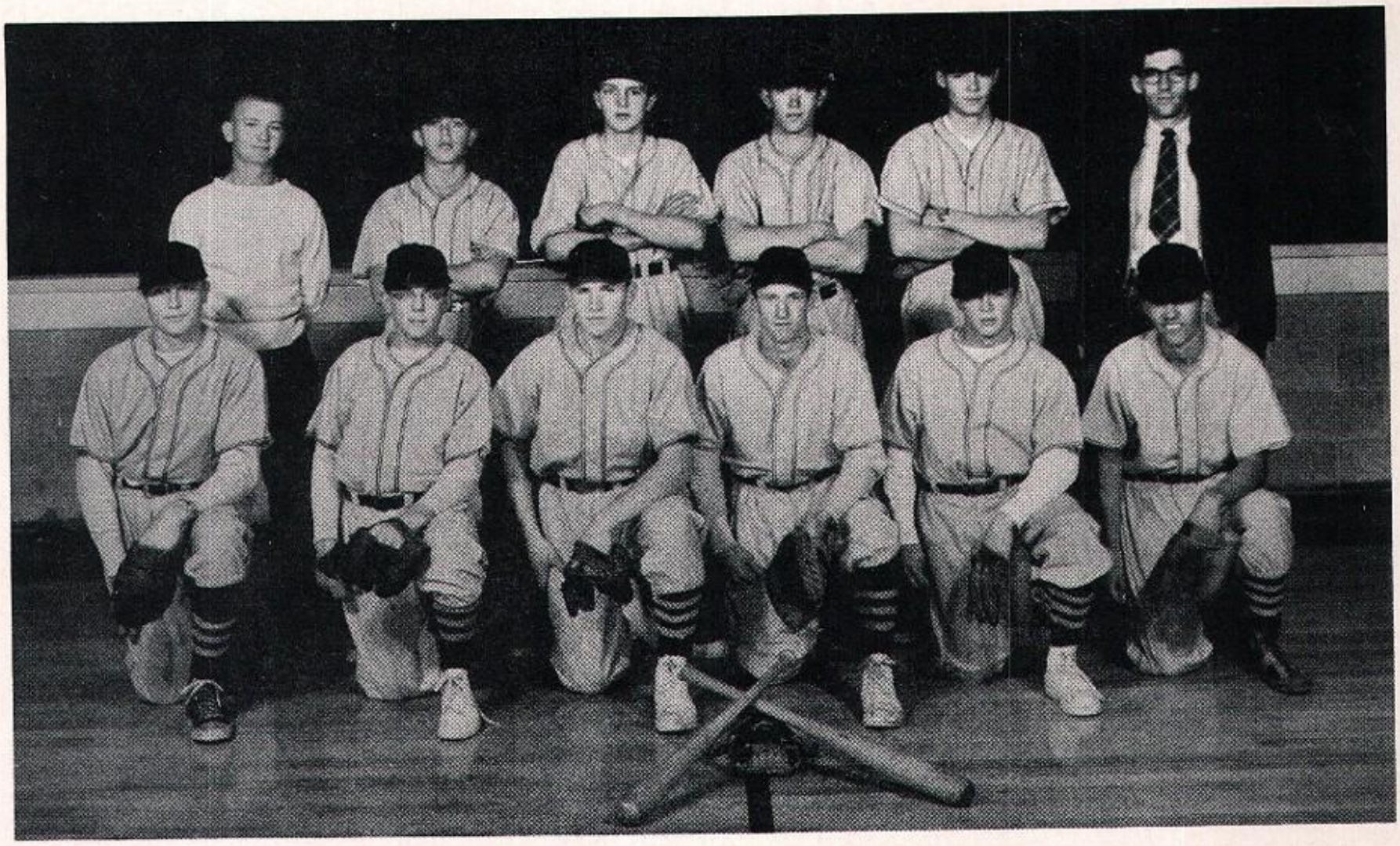
ATHLETICS

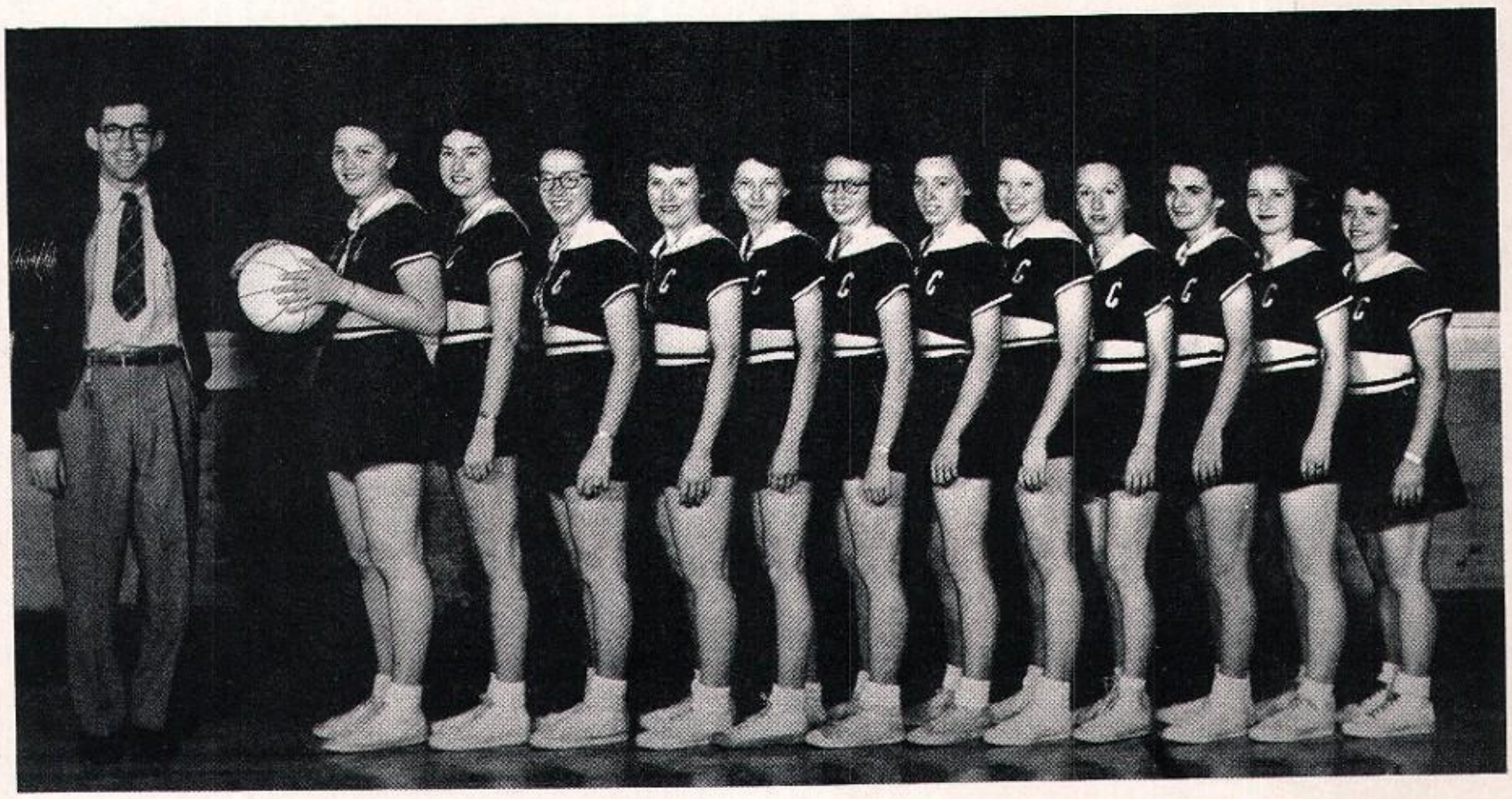




BACK ROW: Kenneth Elliott, Mgr., Lloyd McBride, Ronald Peters, Paul Freese, Jim Zimmerman, Mr. Schlader.

FRONT ROW: Darwin Krumrey, Dale Chestek, Melberne Elliott, Keith Lackore, Bill Linn, Marvin Solberg.

Sports



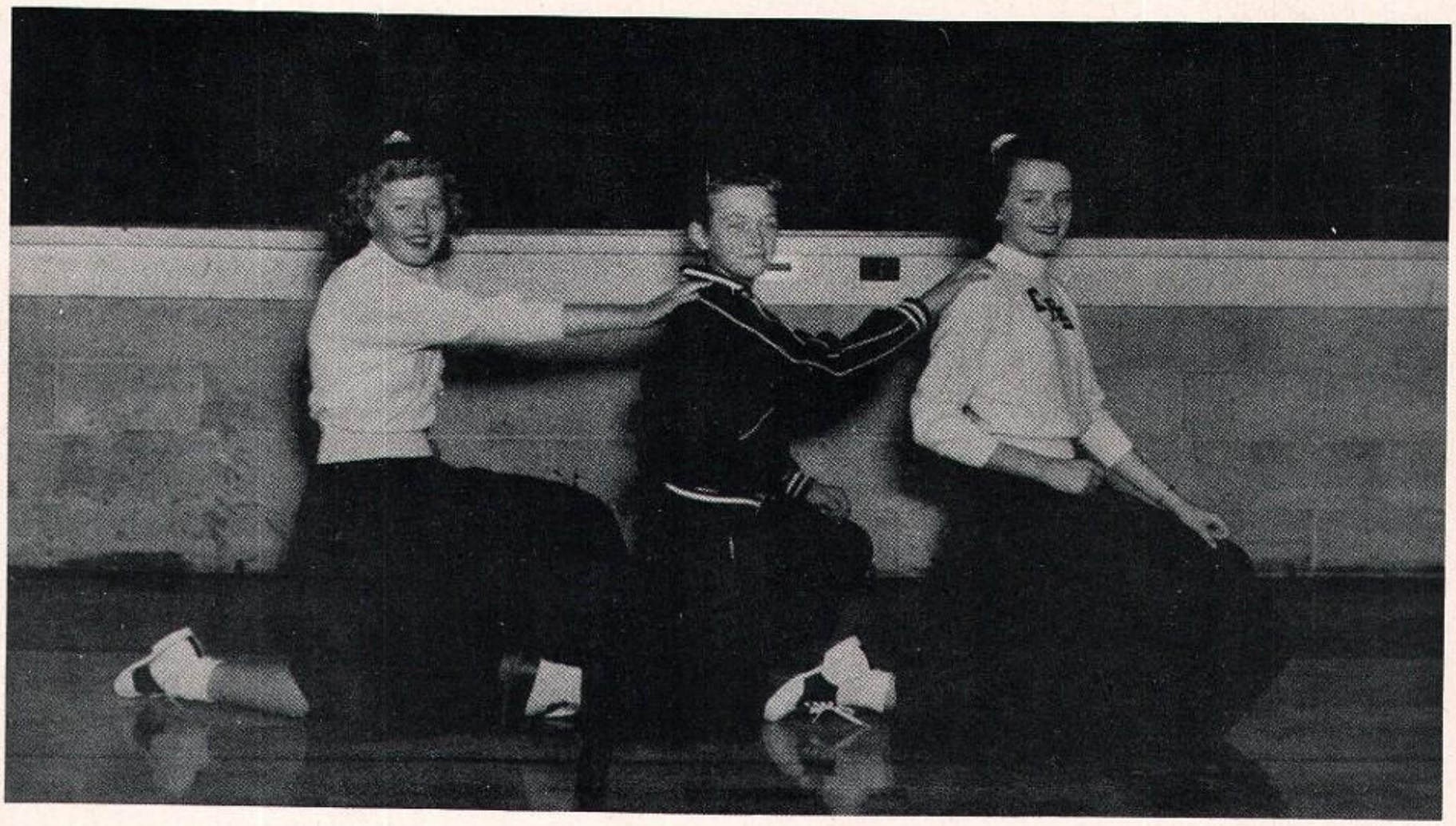
LEFT TO RIGHT: Mr. Schlader, Joane Peters, Rita Staebler, Charyl Hillier, Shirley Rowley, Beverly Hatzky, Marlene Elliott, Mary Bierbaum, Sharlene Sweet, Marilyn Waters, Mary Jean Chambers, Anna Kiess, Madalene Wilson.

Boys Basketball

BACK ROW: Kenneth Elliott, Dale Chestek, Ronald Peters, Hurvey Tudor, Roy Lewis, Willard Grimm, Mr. Schlader.

FRONT ROW: Bill Linn, Melberne Elliott, Jim Zimmerman, Darwin Krumrey, Keith Lackore.

Cheerleaders



Barbara Lemons, David Hoeft, Barbara Chestek

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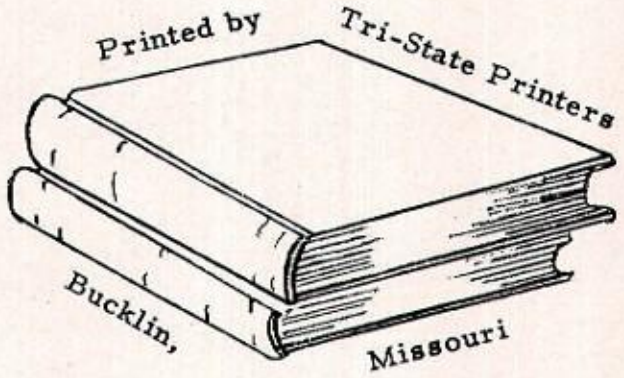

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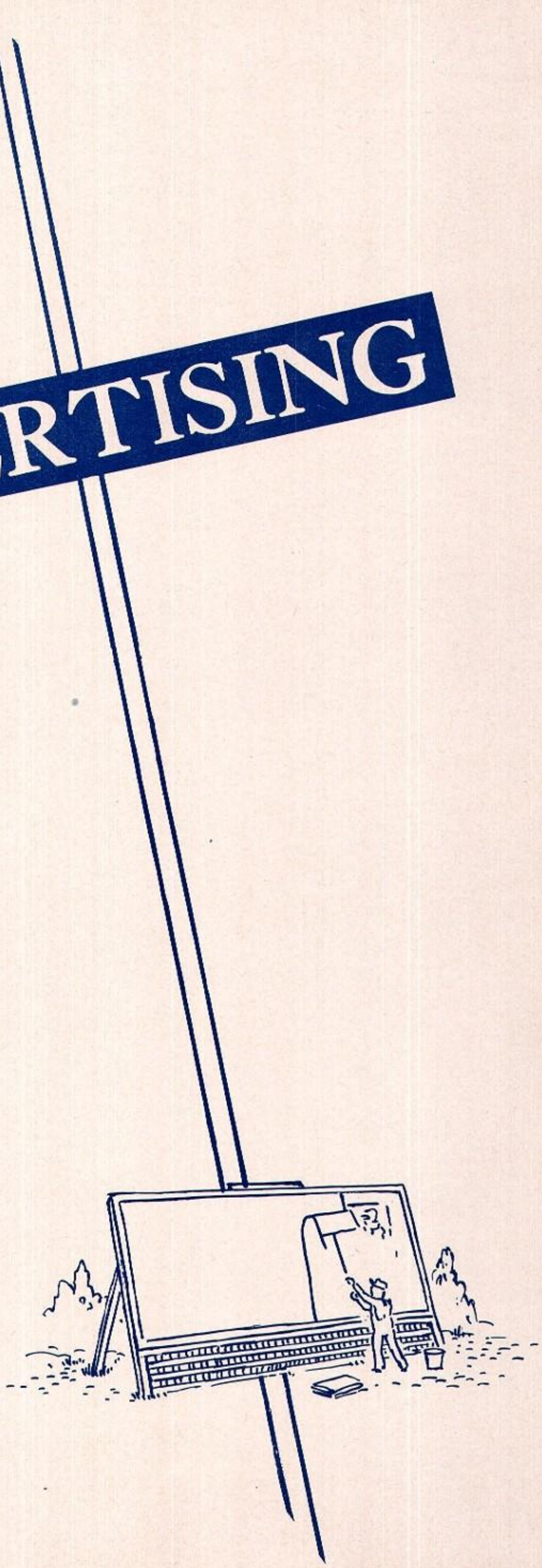

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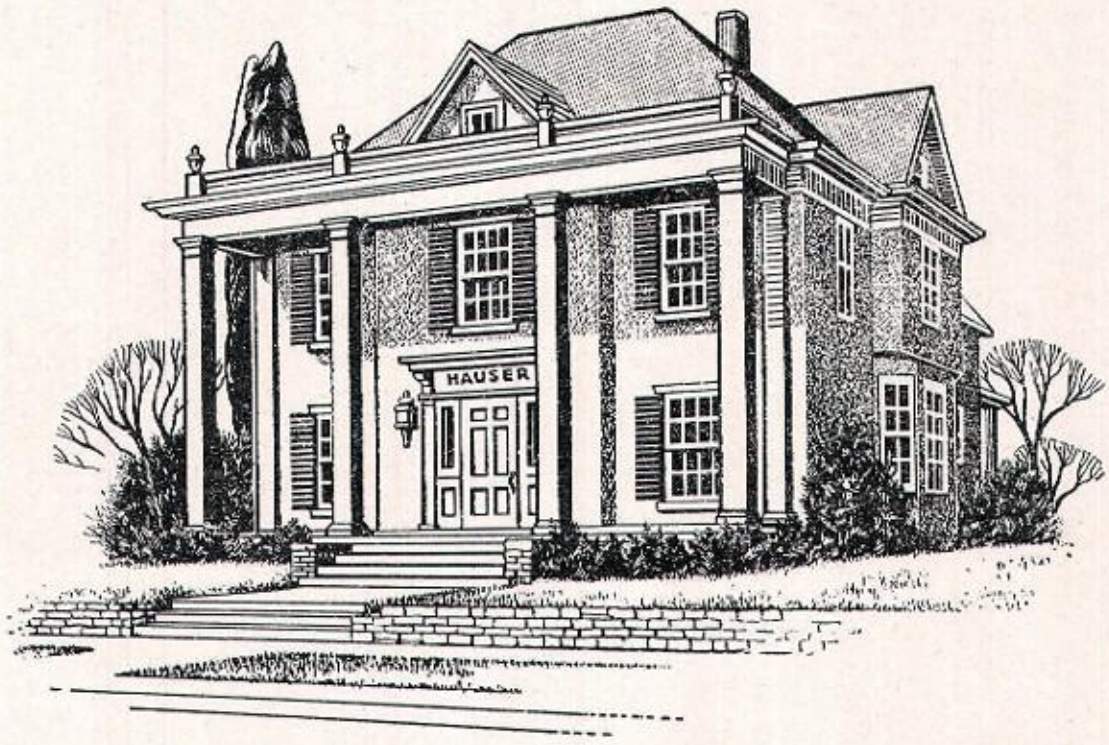

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